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THURSDAY, DEC. 28

J. Forrest Butts, of Carrollton, will succeed Norton Fitch, of Nicholasville, January 1, as member of the state board of control.

In a speech of 200 words, in pro-roguing parliament Friday until Feb. 7, King George used the personal pronouns "I" and "my" thirteen times.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayres are spending the week at the White House with their two babies. By the way, the President is getting to be quite a grandfather.

Henry B. Gentry, the pony man, now of Denver, has accepted the general management of the Sells-Floto circus at a salary of \$15,000 a year, the highest salary paid any circus man in the country.

American refugees at El Paso report that a Villa force of 1,000 men or more is moving towards Torreon to attack a garrison of equal strength, and advices were received at Laredo and Boca that other towns in the Torreon territory had been swept free of Carranza soldiers by the bandits.

The Register and the Climax the two weekly papers, of Richmond, which last fall raised their subscription price to \$1.50 have now raised to \$2.00. The Kentuckian will continue to send three papers a week for \$2, but the cash system must be adhered to.

The Michigan Supreme court has refused to order a recount of the vote in the first precinct of the second ward of Jackson, where Congressman Beakes, Democrat, claims 75 of his votes were counted for M. R. Bacon, Republican. The decision elects Bacon by 35 votes, forcing Beakes to take his contest to Congress, where the Democrats lack a few votes of having a majority.

President Wilson is already beginning to pass the pie to California. Wm. Denham, a San Francisco Democrat, is made chairman of the new Shipping Board, a fat office good for six years, with almost unlimited power in restoring American commerce by the government ownership of ships to the extent of 51 per cent. of the capital invested. Mr. Denham was chairman of the committee that cleaned up the municipal corruption in San Francisco in 1908.

Under the law providing for the retirement of federal judges automatically at the age of 70 years, Judge Walter Evans is soon to retire and is reported that his successor has already been decided upon in the person of Hon. Chas. K. Wheeler, of Paducah. Mr. Wheeler is a native of this county and has long been recognized as one of the ablest lawyers and most finished orators in the State. He was a member of Congress several years but is now engaged in the practice of his profession at Paducah.

Dec. 22.

A carpenter living in Hopkinsville died Friday night, of tuberculosis, was Mr. Stewart of Hopkinsville and was

SUSPECT YOUR KIDNEYS

Too Many Hopkinsville People Neglect Early Symptoms of Kidney Trouble.

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ALL HANDS ROUND.

Said the lover, deeply sighing: "I placed a solitaire last night, on the only hand worth having—a maiden's hand, soft and white."

Said the grizzly old physician: "There's no hand so dear to me, in this world of trials and troubles, as the hand that holds a fee."

Said the porter of the Pullman: "De han' dat I loves best t' grip, comes straight from de trousers pocket, with at least er dollar tip."

Said the mixer of the pasteboards: "The only hand o'er which I gush, cuts a wide swath on the deal-board—'tis an ace-high royal flush."

Constipation Causes Bad Skin.

A dull and pimply skin is due to a sluggish bowel movement. Correct this condition and clear your complexion with Dr. King's New Life Pills. This mild laxative taken at bedtime will assure you a full, free, non-gripping movement in the morning. Drive out the dull, listless feeling resulting from overloaded intestines and a sluggish liver. Get a bottle to-day. At all drug stores. 25c.—Advertisement.

New Officers.

The Modern Woodmen of America Camp No. 11,533, Hopkinsville, Ky., elected the following officers for 1917: J. F. Boyd, Consul; W. W. Allen, Adviser; Herbert Brame, Escort; J. C. Brasher, Watchman; Edward Schamp, Sentry; L. E. Adwell, Trustee.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation, weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (25c per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores.—Advertisement.

MEMORY OF FACES AN ASSET

Hotel Clerks, Bank Cashiers and Detectives Have That Faculty Highly Developed.

Hotel clerks have a way of recognizing guests as soon as they sign a register. The most successful hotel keepers have to have this power of remembering the faces of their guests and all about them or they would soon lose their custom by the mistakes they would make.

Bank cashiers carry in their memories the faces and signatures of most of the customers of the bank.

Detectives, too, get into the habit of remembering the faces of everyone with whom they have to deal, whether criminals or not.

"I don't think I have ever forgotten a customer," a clerk in one of the big safe deposits recently said. "There are hundreds of safe-deposit boxes rented in our vaults, and I can generally remember, without referring to our books, the name, number and password of each customer."

—Exchange.

CASTORIA

GET BUSY ON INVENTIONS

War Has Stimulated Thought, but All Ideas Are Not Found to Be of Practical Value.

I am still attached to the munitions inventions department. The censor won't mind if I tell you one or two of the inventions we receive, for obvious reasons, unless he is as feeble-minded as the gentleman who expurgated the line from the "Recessional," "the captains and the kings depart" by cutting out "and the kings." One very helpful one was from a lady who desired to exterminate Zeppelins. She argued: "The clouds float in the air, and the clouds are made of water. Ice floats in water, so ice will float in air. Let us freeze the clouds, therefore, and send up anti-aircraft guns in balloons to fix upon them." She admitted that she did not know exactly how to freeze the clouds, but she left that to the experts. They all leave practical details like that to the experts. A gentleman invented a circular gun which shot around corners, and not only provided working drawings of his invention, but also a beautiful water-color picture of the enemy being exterminated by its mediation. Another chap is blessed with "perspective ideas" and thinks he can find ranges without a base by the aid of perspective. He wanders around with a certificate signed by an adjutant to the effect that he actually has found three ranges correctly. The number he has found incorrectly is not stated.—A. V. Hill, in Atlantic.

BIG SPORT ARENA IN JAPAN

Athletic Ground, It Is Planned, Will Be Established by a Tramway Company.

No better indication of the growth of sport in Japan can be given than the fact that the Hanshin Tramway company that runs between Osaka and Kobe is now engaged in the construction of an extensive athletic ground at Naruo which, it is reported, will be the largest in the far East, observes East and West. The details are interesting. It is planned to build on the ground inside the race course a tennis court, two baseball grounds, a running track 200 meters in length, a circular course of 800 meters in length and 60 feet in width, and two courses measuring 200 and 400 meters respectively, each 36 feet wide, for the use of school children. A special feature of the new ground will be the construction of two swimming pools. The one for adults will be 400 meters in length, 72 feet in width and 6 feet in depth, and the other for juveniles will be of the same area, but only four feet deep. Water is to be pumped into these pools from the Komatsugawa. Besides these, hot baths, showers and other necessary accommodations will be provided. The Hanshin company expects to complete the work by the end of September.

SIGNS OF WEAKNESS.

"I do not love notes," writes the poet, Gray, to Horace Walpole, who was printing his Odes for Dodsley, the bookseller, "though, you see, I had resolved to put two or three. They are signs of weakness or obscurity. If a thing cannot be understood without them it had better not be understood at all."

And again, in a delightfully humorous letter, he writes:

"I would not have put another note to save the souls of all the owls in London. . . . It is extremely well as it is; nobody understands me, and I am perfectly satisfied."

CONTRARY PROCEEDINGS.

She—My aunt has just given me her watch.

He—How odd! I have just given mine to my uncle.

SIDESHOW NEWS.

"What's up this morning?"

"The indiarubber man is a proud father."

"I suppose it's a bouncing baby?"

REALLY FUNNY.

"She says I am dull."

"You should crack a few jokes occasionally. Ask her to marry you, or something like that."

QUITE

Not a Day in Bed.

Gramling, S. C.—In a letter from Gramling, Mrs. Lula Walden says: "I was so weak before I began taking Cardui, that it tired me to walk just a little. Since taking it, I do all the housework for my family (nine), and have not been in bed a day. Cardui is the greatest remedy for women, on earth." Weak women need Cardui. It is the ideal women's tonic, because it is especially adapted for women's needs. It relieves backache, headache, dragging feelings, and other female misery. Try Cardui. A few doses will show you what it can do for you. It may be just what you want.—Advertisement.

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No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:36 a.m.
No. 91—Local Passenger, 8:55 a.m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim. 5:29 a.m.
No. 52—St. Louis Express 9:54 a.m.
No. 94—Dixie Flyer 7:02 p.m.
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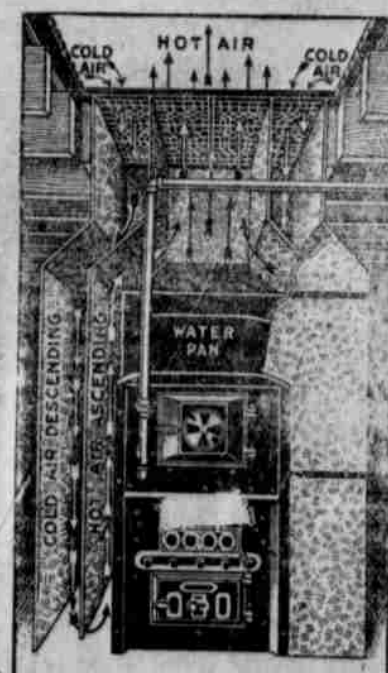
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